

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q86678

Emmanuel MIETTE

Appln. No.: 10/529,755

Group Art Unit: 3628

Confirmation No.: 1578

Examiner: Brian M. Epstein

Filed: March 30, 2005

For: METHOD OF PROCESSING POSTAL ITEMS WITH ACCOUNT BEING TAKEN OF  
EXTRA EXPENSE DUE TO WRONG DELIVERY

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENTS**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the restriction requirement stated in the Office action mailed January 22, 2009, applicant elects Group I, Claims 12, 14 and 16, for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 13 and 15.

Further action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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